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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:  
In response to the office action of August 29, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the specification:

Please amend the following paragraphs of the description to read as follows:

Paragraph 0002

Various games based on tossing playing pieces onto a game board are known.  
For example, United States Patent 4,305,587 discloses a magnet based target game in which flat magnetic game pieces are thrown onto a target board. The target board has a fixed configuration with several scoring areas. If a game piece is thrown into a scoring area, the player scores a point. United States Patent 6,131,905 discloses a game in which players compete to toss a playing piece as close as possible to a center piece without contacting the

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